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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TGEN, ENRG, IS

SUBJECT: ISRAELI NUCLEAR POWER PROJECT

REF:TEL AVIV 6374

1. ISRAELI PRESS REPORTS THAT THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE ON NUCLEAR ENERGY VOTED UNANIMOUSLY ON SEPTEMBER 28 TO RECOMMEND TO THE CABINET THAT ONE, AND POSSIBLY TWO, NUCLEAR POWER STATIONS BE BUILT. COMMITTEE ALSO AGREED THAT THE FIRST STATION, SLATED FOR COMPLETION BY 1985, SHOULD BE OF 900 MEGAWATT CAPACITY. COMMITTEE MEMBERS REPORTEDLY STRESSED THAT AMPLE FUNDING BE ASSURED IN ADVANCE OF CONSTRUCTION, AND THAT AGREEMENTS WITH FOREIGN SUPPLIERS AND ALL SITE LOCATIONS BE APPROVED BY THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES.

2. ACCORDING TO DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF IAEC PELEG, NEXT STEP IS TO OBTAIN APPROVAL OF FULL CABINET, WHICH SHOULD BE PRO FORMA. ISRAEL ELECTRIC COMPANY AND IAEC WILL THEN PROCEED WITH NEGOTIATIONS WITH BIDDERS. PELEG EXPECTS SELECTION OF CONTRACTOR WITHIN MATTER OF DAYS. CONTRACT, HE SAID, WILL BE FOR TWO SYSTEMS WITH TIMING FOR SECOND TO BE DECIDED LATER.

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